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C O N F I D E N T I A L NEW DELHI 4838

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: OGEN PINS IN
SUBJECT: DWIVEDI CASE

REF: NEW DELHI 4751 AND PREVIOUS

1. LAWYER LAHOTY HAS INFORMED CONSOFF THAT HE BELIEVES BAIL REFUSAL FOR RANJAN DWIVEDI WILL BE APPEALED TO HIGHER COURT IN PATNA AND THINKS IT POSSIBLE BAIL WILL BE ACCEPTED ON SECOND TRY. HE IS ALSO ATTEMPTING TO HAVE DWIVEDI'S 4-YEAR SENTENCE IN RAY CASE SUSPENDED. HE IS, HOWEVER, NOT OPTIMISTIC ABOUT FINAL OUTCOME OF MISHRA CASE AS DWIVEDI IS "SERIOUSLY IMPLICATED" IN THIS MURDER. NEITHER LAHOTY NOR TARKUNDE HAVE CONFERRED WITH DWIVEDI ABOUT ACTUAL CASE AGAINST HIM REGARDING MISHRA, HOWEVER, AND DO NOT KNOW ALL FACTS. LAHOTY HAS NAME OF PATNA ATTORNEY ON THIS CASE AND WILL FORWARD IT TO US BY APRIL 6.

2. LAHOTY HAS HEARD FROM BOTH RANJAN AND PATRICIA DWIVEDI THAT CONDITIONS IN PATNA JAIL NOT SATISFACTORY. LAHOTY BELIEVES THAT IT IS VERY POSSIBLE DWIVEDI WILL BE TRANSFERRED BACK TO DELHI IN NEAR FUTURE, AS MATHEW COMMISSION WHICH IS REVIEWING RAY CASE WILL MEET AGAIN APRIL 11 AND DWIVEDI'S PRESENCE WILL NO DOUBT BE REQUIRED. IF DWIVEDI IS NOT BROUGHT HERE BY THAT DATE,
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LAHOTY WILL ASK THAT HE BE TRANSFERRED.

3. LAHOTY BELIEVES THAT PATRICIA'S PRESENCE IN INDIA WOULD BE WELCOMED BY HER HUSBAND AND THAT SHE WOULD HAVE NO PROBLEMS WITH INDIAN GOVERNMENT SHOULD SHE DECIDE TO COME.
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